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Hasbro, Inc. * Opposition No. 91212783

Opposer

* Serial No. 85/732,284

* Mark: MONEYOPOLY

Future World Electronics, LLC *

v.

Applicant

APPLICANT'S ANSWER AND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

Applicant, Future World Electronics, LLC, through its undersigned counsel of record, hereby respectfully files this Answer and Affirmative Defenses to the Notice of Opposition filed by Opposer, Hasbro, Inc. In response to the numbered paragraphs of the Notice of Opposition, Applicant states as follows:

- 1. Applicant admits the allegations set forth in Paragraph 1 of the Notice of Opposition.
- 2. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 2 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.
- 3. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 3 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.
- 4. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 4 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies the same.

Applicant's Answer and Affirmative Defenses Opposition No. 91212783 Hasbro, Inc. v. Future World Electronics, LLC 5. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the

truth of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 5 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies

the same.

6. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the

truth of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 6 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies

the same.

7. Applicant lacks knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the

truth of the allegations set forth in Paragraph 7 of the Notice of Opposition and therefore denies

the same.

8. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 8 of the Notice of

Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

9. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 9 of the Notice of

Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

10. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 10 of the Notice of

Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

11. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 11 of the Notice of

Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

12. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 12 of the Notice of

Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

13. As to the allegations set forth in Paragraph 13 of the Notice of Opposition,

Applicant admits that registration of its MONEYOPOLY trademark would constitute prima facie

evidence of the validity of such registration, of Applicant's ownership of the registered mark,

and of Applicant's exclusive right to use the registered mark pursuant to the provisions of

Applicant's Answer and Affirmative Defenses Opposition No. 91212783

15 U.S.C. §1057(b). Applicant denies the remaining allegations set forth in Paragraph 13 of the

Notice of Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

14. Applicant denies the allegations set forth in Paragraph 14 of the Notice of

Opposition and demands strict proof thereof.

15. Applicant further denies any allegations in the Notice of Opposition not

specifically admitted herein.

Affirmative Defenses

16. Opposer's claims are barred on the grounds that, on information and belief,

Opposer has failed to police usage of the term MONOPOLY and similar terms by others.

17. Opposer's claims are barred on the grounds that the respective marks are not

confusingly similar and the respective goods are noncompetitive and unrelated.

18. Opposer's dilution claim is barred on the grounds that the term MONOPOLY is

not a famous mark as defined by 15 U.S.C. §1125(c)(2)(A).

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, Applicant, Future World Electronics, LLC,

prays that this Opposition No. 91212783 be dismissed with prejudice and that Applicant's

application Serial No. 85/732,284 be approved for issuance of the Notice of Allowance.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of the foregoing Applicant's Answer and Affirmative Defenses has been served on Applicant by mailing said copy on December 11, 2013 via first-class mail to Opposer's counsel as follows:

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